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TO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN PRIORITY
INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

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SY CHANNEL FOR RSO ABIDJAN, RSS NAIROBI FROM SY/SAS

E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: FREETOWN - THREATS AGAINST LIFE OF PAO

REF: FREETOWN 994

1. PREFERABLE COURSE OF ACTION IS FOR RSO TO CONDUCT
CONFRONTATION TYPE INTERVIEW OF FSLE GABBIDON, NOTING
RECENT INVESTIGATION HAS PRODUCED EVIDENCE HE MOST LIKELY
AUTHOR OF LETTER.

2. IF FSLE DENIES GUILT, REQUEST HANDWRITING SPECIMENS AND
TAKE INKED PRINTS. LET KNOW YOU'RE TAKING TYPE SPECIMENS.
INDICATE THAT FBI HAS ALREADY RAISED SEVERAL LATENTS, ETC.

3. ALTERNATIVE IS TO SUBMIT TYPEWRITER AND WRITING SPECI-
MENS AS WELL AS INKED PRINTS.

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4. TYPEWRITER - TYPE FULL TEXT OF LETTER ON EACH SUSPECT
TYPEWRITER. IN ADDITION TO CONTENT, REPRODUCE ALL LETTERS
IN SHIFT AND NONSHIFT POSITIONS, LEAVING SPACE BETWEEN
EACH CHARACTER. EACH FRONT PAGE SHOULD INCLUDE NAME OF
PERSON MAKING STANDARD, DATE AND PLACE MADE, MANUFACTURER
OF MACHINE, AND SERIAL AND MODEL NO.

5. HANDWRITING - HAVE FSLE WRITE "J. COKER" ON FIFTEEN SEPARATE PAPERS. DO NOT ALLOW HIM TO COPY. IDENTIFY EACH PAGE.

6. SUBMIT SPECIMENS TO SAS VIA REGISTERED MAIL.

7. RSO SHOULD INTERVIEW FSLE AT EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

8. FYI: BECAUSE OF POOR SIGNATURE WHICH WAS PROBABLY DISGUISED, HANDWRITING ANALYSIS MOST LIKELY USELESS. RIGHT SUSPECT TYPEWRITER CAN QUITE POSSIBLY BE MATCHED UP WITH LETTER, WHICH IS ONLY CARBON COPY. IDENTIFICATION OF ANY LATENT PRINTS DEPENDENT ON VARIETY OF CIRCUMSTANCES.

9. FYI: STATIONARY BEARS WATERMARK "CROXLEY SCRIPT". COOPER

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Message Attributes

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